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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 9th Day of August 1751,

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to order, that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to Tuesday the Thirteenth of this Instant, should be further prorogued to Tuesday the Fifteenth Day of October next.

WHEREAS his Majesty hath received Information, That from the 16th Day of June to the 1st Day of September in the last Year 1750, a very small Number of the Horned Cattle had died of the Distemper, or had been killed on that Account, in the County of Middlesex; but that from the said First Day of September to the Tenth Day of November following, no less than Nine hundred and eighteen Oxen and Cows, and Thirty-one Calves had been killed and buried by the Inspectors, within the said County; which great and sudden Increase of the said Distemper, was apprehended to have arisen from the holding two great Fairs for Horned Cattle near the Borders of the said County of Middlesex, the one in that Part of Barnet which lies in the County of Hertford, on the 24th of August, and the other at Harlow Bush in the County of Essex, on the 29th of the said Month; to which Fairs, distemper'd Cattle being brought, were there bought and sold, and dispersed all over those and the Neighbouring Counties.—And whereas his Majesty hath this Day received further Information, that from the 13th of April in the present Year, to this Time, the Distemper hath entirely ceased in the County of Middlesex, not one Ox, Bull, Cow or Calf having either died or been killed on Account thereof; but that there is great Reason to apprehend, if the afore-mentioned two Fairs should be permitted to be held this Year, the same Mischiefs may arise as in the last, the ill Consequences whereof may prove very injurious to many of his Majesty's good Subjects:—His Majesty taking the same into his most serious Consideration, and being desirous of doing every Thing in his Power to prevent the Spreading of the said Distemper, hath therefore thought fit, and doth, by this his Order in his Privy Council, declare and order, that no Fair or Fairs, Market, or Shew of Cattle, be held for the Sale of Cattle on the 24th of this Instant August, at Barnet aforesaid, or any Place adjacent, nor any Fair or Fairs, Market, or Shew of Cattle at Harlow Bush on the 29th of this Instant, or any Place adjacent thereto:—And his Majesty doth hereby strictly forbid the sending, driving, or removing, or causing to be sent, driven or removed, any Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer or Heifer, to either of the said Fairs or

Markets, or any other Fair or Market, or Shew of Cattle, in any Place adjacent:—And his Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the Counties of Hertford and Essex, near to the Place where the afore-mentioned Fairs are usually held, are hereby required to issue their Orders to the Chief Constables or Headboroughs of the Hundreds, Lathes, Rapes or Wapentakes, and to the respective Petty Constables of the respective Parishes within the same, to prevent the holding the said Fairs or Markets: And if any Person or Persons shall presume to drive, remove, or send, or cause to be driven, removed, or sent, any such Cattle to the said Fairs or Markets contrary to this Order, such Person or Persons so offending, shall be carried before some Neighbouring Justice, to be dealt with according to Law.

And his Majesty doth hereby strictly charge and command, not only the Justices of the Peace within the said Counties of Hertford and Essex, but also all the Justices of the Peace, and other Magistrates throughout the Kingdom of England, that they do take Care at this Season of the Year, when Fairs and Markets are usually held for the Sale of Cattle, to inform themselves thoroughly, whether the holding the said Fairs and Markets are likely to be attended with the Danger of Spreading the said Distemper; and if they shall apprehend them so to be, that then the said Justices do, at their General or Quarter Session, or at any Adjournment thereof, within their respective Counties, cause a Stop to be put to the holding the same, pursuant to the Powers vested in them for that Purpose, by his Majesty's Order in Council of the 22d of March 1747.

And his Majesty doth likewise hereby strictly charge and command all the said Justices of the Peace, and other Magistrates and Officers, to be careful and diligent in carrying into Execution the Rules and Regulations contained in the several Acts of Parliament and Orders of Council for putting a Stop to the Spreading of the Distemper amongst the Horned Cattle.

William Sharpe.

By the Lords Justices General and General Governors of Ireland,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

George Armagh. Newport C.

WHEREAS his Majesty hath signified unto us his Royal Pleasure, That the Parliament of this Kingdom, which now stands prorogued unto Tuesday the Twenty-seventh Day of August instant, be further prorogued unto Tuesday the Eighth Day of October next, then to meet and sit for the Dispatch of Business; We do therefore publish and declare, That the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is, hereby further prorogued unto Tuesday the



the Eighth Day of October next, and that the same shall be then held at Dublin, and fit for the Dispatch of Business: Whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament, are to take Notice, and to give their Attendance accordingly.

Given at his Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 2d Day of August, 1751.

By their Excellencies Command,
Tho. Waite.

GOD save the KING.

Naples, July 23. We have received certain Advice, that a Genoese armed Bark has taken, on the Coast of this Kingdom, a Barbary Pink with eight Guns and 70 Men on board. They have published here a very rigorous Edict against the assembling of Free Masons. This Edict was granted by the King, at the Desire of the Clergy; and several Persons are appointed to see it carried into Execution.

Genoa, July 26. Nothing is neglected by this Government that can possibly tend towards the Re-establishing the Credit of the Bank of St. George, or contribute to the Benefit and Advantage of the Subjects of this Republick, of which the Great Road they have resolved to make from Spezzia, to join those leading to the Dutchy of Parma, is an incontestable Proof; as this Road, which is already begun, will greatly facilitate the conveying of Merchandize into that Dutchy, and thereby be of the utmost Service to us; and the rather, as the Journey will then be made in two Days. Prince Doria, who went some Time since to Turin to compliment the King of Sardinia, and all that Royal Family, on the Birth of the Prince of Piemont, is returned here, extremely well pleased with the Reception he met with at that Court. We are informed by our last Letters from Corfica, that M. Chauvelin, the French Minister, did not leave Bastia till Thursday last, when he went to St. Fiorenzo, and established his Head Quarters there. The News we received of the Tripolitans having taken a Maltese Ship is confirmed; with these additional Circumstances, that two of those Corsairs attacked her off the Island of Rhodes, and that she fought them upwards of three Hours; but as her Crew consisted only of 40 Men, upwards of twenty of whom were either killed or wounded during the Engagement, she was at length over-powered, and obliged to surrender. By our last Letters from Venice, we are informed, that they have received, from divers Places, a Confirmation of the News of a bloody Battle having been fought in the Neighbourhood of Ispahan, between two of the Competitors for the Throne of Persia, in which upwards of thirty thousand Men were killed and wounded on both Sides; and that they soon expected a more particular Account of this Action, and of the Consequences attending it.

Turin, July 27. The King having been seized, during his Stay at the Baths of Vaudier, with some slight feverish Disorders, occasioned his Return hither from thence sooner than was at first intended; however his Majesty now finds himself much better.

Stockholm, July 30. The Directors of the Fire Office having advanced several considerable Sums of Money towards rebuilding such Houses as were consumed by the late Fires, and insured by them, those Buildings are now carrying on with the greatest Diligence. The Cham-

berlain Count Panin, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Empress of Russia, is preparing a most magnificent Equipage to appear with at their Majesties Coronation.

Warsaw, July 31. There is arrived here, within these few Days past, a considerable Sum of new coined Money to pay the Saxon Troops which the Empress Queen of Hungary keeps on Foot in this Kingdom. The last Letters from the Frontiers say, that the Heyducks have not appeared in any great Numbers since their late Skirmishes with some Detachments of the Crown Army, who have killed Numbers of them, and taken many Prisoners.

Prague, July 31. The Regiment of Foot of Harsch, which composed Part of this Garrison, marched from hence on Monday last for the Camp that is forming between Colin and Kutteneberg; and was followed the next Day by those of Betleem and Haller, so that we have now only some Companies of Invalids left here to do Duty.

Dresden, Aug. 2. The Count de Bose, one of the King's Chamberlains, who lately entred with the Consent of his Majesty, into the Service of the Margrave of Brandenburg Bareith, in Quality of Privy Councillor, and Master of the Horse, set out from hence last Week to take Possession of those Employments. The Report that was lately spread of a Camp's being to be formed of the Regiments quartered in this Neighbourhood, seems to have no Foundation, the Court not having given the least Orders in Relation thereto.

Vienna, Aug. 3. The Empress Queen has disposed of the Archbishoprick of Gran, and of the high Dignity of Primate of the Kingdom of Hungary, in Favour of Count Czacky, Archbishop of Koloczka, who is succeeded in his Archbishoprick by the Baron de Klobzisky, Bishop of Agran in Croatia. Her Imperial Majesty has likewise made a numerous Promotion of General Officers, Councillors of State, and Chamberlains. On Saturday last his Imperial Majesty, accompanied by Prince Charles of Lorraine, arrived here from Presbourg; and the same Night the Empress Queen also arrived, accompanied by the Princess Charlotte. And Yesterday their Imperial Majesties set out for the Camp at Offen; which Journey will take up ten or twelve Days, after which they will return to Presbourg, where 'tis said the Court will reside till the End of September. The same Day the young Archdukes and Archduchesses returned hither from Presbourg. The States of Hungary are again assembled, in order to regulate the different Proportions which each respective Province is to furnish of the Subsidies lately granted by the Diet of that Kingdom to her Imperial Majesty. The Copper Mines in Hungary having produced a much larger Quantity last Year than they did in any former Year, they have lately opened a Correspondence with Hambourg, in order thereby to dispose of Part of that Commodity.

Breslau, Aug. 4. We have received Advice from Oels, that on Sunday last the Duke of Wurtemberg Oels's Dutcheß was safely delivered there of a Princess.

Hambourg, Aug. 6. The Princess, Spouse of the Prince of Holstein Gottorp, Major General and Colonel of a Regiment of Dragoons in the Service of the King of Prussia, was delivered of a Prince on the 20th of last Month at Riefenbourg.

Berlin,

Berlin, Aug. 7. The King's intended Journey to Silesia will take Place towards the End of this Month, for which Purpose some Part of his Majesty's Equipage is already sent forwards.

Nurembourg, Aug. 7. Prince Henry of Prussia passed by this Place on Thursday last for the Court of Bareith, from whence he proposes to return to Berlin.

Antwerp, Aug. 10. On Sunday last was published, in all the Parish Churches of this City, after Divine Service, a Mandate of our Bishop's, by which that Prelate, by Virtue of an Order he received from the Pope, suppresses, in his Diocese, several Holydays which have heretofore been observed by the Church in the same Manner as Sundays.

Brussels, Aug. 10. The Regency have named two Commissaries to take, as well in this Province, as in those of Flanders, Hainault, and Limbourg, an exact Account of the Revenues of all the Clergy and Religious Communities, in order that they may be taxed towards erecting of Hospitals for the Maintenance of Soldiers worn out in the publick Service. The prodigious Quantity of Rain that has fallen in this Country for these three Weeks past, has greatly damaged the Corn, the Price of which is almost daily augmenting. We learn from Ghent, that on Tuesday last the Waters swelled so very much as to force a large Opening in one of the Banks in that Neighbourhood, by which Part of the City, and a great Extent of Land in the Neighbourhood, were entirely laid under Water. We hear from Valenciennes, that a few Days ago a Fire broke out in a large Magazine of Forrage in that Neighbourhood, which had entirely consumed the same, but how it happened was unknown. According to the last Advices we received from Vienna, Prince Charles of Lorraine, our Governor General, will not return here before the End of October next.

Hague, Aug. 12. The States of Holland and Westfrizeland, who were assembled Yesterday, have this Day continued their Deliberations. 'Tis said that his Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, who is perfectly recovered of the slight Cold he was troubled with a few Days ago, intends going to Aix la Chapelle towards the Beginning of next Month, in order to drink the Waters of that Place; and that about the same Time her Royal Highness the Princess of Orange will go to Loo, with her young Family, in order to reside there the greatest Part of the Autumn. We are assured, that the Marquess de St. Conest, the French Ambassador, will make his publick Entry here towards the Middle of September next. The last Letters from several Parts of Germany are full of Accounts of the terrible Havock that has been made by the late great Storms of Hail and Rain; and particularly those from Lintz observe, that on Thursday last they had such a dreadful Storm, that the Corn and Fruits of the Earth have thereby received an infinite deal of Damage, and several Persons were killed by the Thunder and Lightning that accompanied it.

Whitehall, August 10.

The King has been pleased to appoint Solomon Dayrolle, Esq; his Majesty's Resident to the States General of the United Provinces, to be his Majesty's Minister to the Court of Brussels.

Excise-Office, London, Aug. 6, 1751.

By Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of Excise, on Thursday the 15th of August, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, shall be exposed to Sale in the Court-Room in the Old-Jury, Several Parcels of Condemned Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, &c. Printed Allotments of the Particulars thereof will be delivered at the said Office, on Monday the 12th Instant. And the Goods may be viewed there, and at the Warehouses near the Custom-house, on Tuesday and Wednesday following, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, also on the Day of Sale till Twelve of the Clock.

August 10, 1751.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That they have made an Agreement with the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of his Majesty's Treasury, to circulate Exchequer Bills made forth or to be made forth, pursuant to several Acts of Parliament made for that Purpose now in Force, for one Year, computed from the 24th Day of July 1751, to the 25th Day of July 1752.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

Equivalent Office, Aug. 7, 1751.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Freeman's Court, Cornhill, London, on Wednesday the 4th Day of September next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, being the yearly General Court appointed by the Charter.

James Mathias, Secretary.

LINCOLN RACES, 1751.

HIS Majesty's Plate of One Hundred Guineas will be Run for on Tuesday the 10th of September next, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than six Years old last Grass, carrying twelve Stone, three Heats; to be shewn and entered at the Nag's Head in Waddington on Monday the 9th of September in the Evening before they run; and if any Difference arise in Running, the same to be determined by his Grace the Duke of Ancaster, or whom he shall appoint, according to such his Majesty's Orders as shall be then and there produced.

On Wednesday the 11th will be run for on the same Side on the Two Miles Course, the City's Plate or Purse of Fifty Pounds, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that never won a Plate or Purse before, and no more than five Years old last Grass, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeders; to carry ten Stone, three Heats, two Miles each Heat, and to pay three Guineas Entrance. The Stakes to go to the second best Horse.

On Thursday the 12th will be run for on the same Course, a Purse of Fifty Pounds, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that never won the Value of this Prize, (Matches excepted) and no more than four Years old the Grass before running; to carry nine Stone, three Heats, two Miles each Heat; each Proprietor to subscribe four Guineas towards the next Year's Plate, and to pay five Shillings Entrance, and five Shillings to the Clerk of the Race.

Horses, &c. for the two last Plates to be shewn and entered at the Nag's Head in Waddington, between the Hours of Eight and One in the Morning the same Day his Majesty's Plate is to be entered for.

On Friday the 13th will be run for on the four Miles Course, where his Majesty's Plate is run for, a Purse of Eighty Pounds, called the Ladies Plate, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that was not above six Years old last Grass, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeders, to carry nine Stone, the best of three Heats. Subscribers to pay two Guineas, and Non-subscribers five Guineas, towards the next Year's Ladies Plate, paying five Shillings Entrance, and five Shillings to the Clerk of the Race.

No Horse, &c. that ever won a King's Plate, to be permitted to run for this Plate, or any Horse, &c. that is not bona fide the Person's own. Every Horse, &c. without shewing may be enter'd any Time before Six o'Clock the Night before Running, at the Starting-Post, by the Clerk of the Race, with whom the Certificates are to be left.

N. B. No Mare, Horse, or Gelding, that was on the 7th Day of April last, the Property of Mr. Prentice, who was then the Owner of Trimmer, or shall belong to him at the Time of these Races, shall be permitted to start for any of these Purse.

THE Creditors of John Oldis the Younger, late of Birch Lane, Cornhill, London, Sadler, since the Issuing the Commission of Bankruptcy against him, are desired immediately to send a Particular Account of their respective Demands to Mr. Thomas Whitworth in Middle Moorfields, or to Mr. Peter Roberts, Attorney, at the Old South-Sea House, in order to their being satisfied.

Dr.